

Southern Berkshire Regional School District

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING #1,473

Tuesday, March 11, 2014

6:00 p.m.

Mt. Everett Regional School Library

491 Berkshire School Road

Sheffield, MA

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All interested members of the public are invited to attend.

[The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chairman which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.]

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES** Open Hearing of February 27, 2014; School Committee Meeting #1,472
3. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE PERTAINING TO THIS EVENING'S AGENDA ITEMS**
 - A. Student Representative Report
 - B. Other
4. **BUSINESS**
 - A. Superintendent's Report – D. Hastings
 - B. Adoption of FY'15 Operating, Transportation, and Capital Budgets
 - Letter from Andrew Rapport, President, Southern Berkshire Regional Education Association
 - C. Request for Approval of Overnight Field Trip to Florida, April 22-25, 2014 – A. VonRuden
 - D. Request for Approval to Provide Alternative Method of Notice of School Committee Meetings, Per MA Open Meeting Law, Paragraph 4, Subsection b
 - E. Subcommittee/Representative Reports
 1. Innovation School Screening Team
 2. Policy
 - 2nd reading, approval as possible, Policy IHB, Special Instructional Programs and Accommodations
 - 2nd reading, approval as possible, Policy JEB, Entrance Age
 3. Ad Hoc Advisory Board Committee
 - F. Financial Updates / Transfers (as needed) – B. Turner

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5. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC / REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

6. **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Upcoming School Committee meetings are scheduled as follows: April 10; May 8; June 12; June 26.

Other Meetings/Events are as Follows:

- March 10, 6:30 p.m. – Winter Sports Recognition Night
- March 11, 8:30 a.m. – Grades K-3 Talent Show, UME Cafeteria
- March 12, 8:30 a.m. – Grades 4-6 Talent Show, UME Cafeteria
- March 13, 6:30 p.m. – Grade 6 parent Information Night, Mt. Everett Cafeteria
- March 14, 6:00 pm. – **eagle fund** 15th Anniversary Celebration, TAC/PAC and surrounding area
- March 15, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Western District Junior Rehearsal and Performance, UMass Amherst, 181 Presidents Drive, Amherst MA
- March 20, 6:30 p.m. – 8th Grade parent Information Night, Mt. Everett Gym
- March 25, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. - Pre K, Early K & Kindergarten Registration Workshop in UME Cafeteria
- March 27, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Red Cross Blood Drive, Mt. Everett Gym
- April 17, 9:45 a.m. – All School Sing, "Mother Earth", Undermountain Elementary School